



# CALTRANS COMMUTER ALERT

05-013

**Date:** Tuesday, January 11, 2005  
**District:** 8 – Riverside and San Bernardino Counties  
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**WHAT: STORM WATCH**

**WHEN TUESDAY, JANUARY 11, 2005 (0800)**

**WHERE: SAN BERNARDINO AND RIVERSIDE COUNTIES**

The following is an update of current road conditions due to storms in Riverside and San Bernardino counties.

HIGHWAY	STATUS	REASON	DURATION
Northbound I-215 connector to southbound I-15	<b>CLOSED</b>	Flooding	Unknown Duration
Southbound I-215 #2 lane from Palm Kendall Drive to University Pkwy	<b>CLOSED</b>	Pothole Repair	Weather Permitting
SR-18 from 40 <sup>th</sup> St. (San Bernardino) to Big Bear Dam	<b>CLOSED</b>	Slides/ Flooding	Weather Permitting
SR-330 from Highland Ave. to Live Oak	<b>CLOSED</b>	Rock Slides	Unknown Duration
SR-38 at Valley of the Falls ( <b>Only emergency vehicles and food supplies permitted.</b> )	<b>CLOSED</b>	Rock/Mud Slides	Unknown Duration
SR-38 from Lake Williams to Bryant Roads	<b>CLOSED</b>	Rock/Mud Slides	Unknown Duration
SR-138 from Old Mill to Summit Valley Rd.	<b>CLOSED</b>	Rock Slides	Unknown Duration
In LA County west of Pinon Hills - SR-138 is closed from LA County Line to SR-18	<b>CLOSED</b>	Flooding	Weather Permitting
SR-173 from SR-138 to Hesperia	<b>CLOSED</b>	Flooding	Unknown Duration
SR-173 at Rainbow Drive	<b>CLOSED</b>	Flooding	Unknown Duration
SR-243 from Poppet Flats to Alandale (about 5 miles north of Idyllwild)	<b>CLOSED</b>	Rock Slide	Open approximately mid-January 2005

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SR-243 at Twin Pines (south of Banning and north of Idyllwild)	<b>OPEN</b>		
SR-83 from SR-71 to Kimble Avenue	<b>CLOSED</b>	Flooding	Weather Permitting
SR-74 from Orange Cty Line to Grand Ave.	<b>CLOSED</b>	Flooding/Mud	Unknown Duration
Northbound SR-111 in Palm Springs at Gateway	<b>Passable on Southbound</b>	Flooding	Weather Permitting
SR-2 from Big Pines to ISLIP Saddle	<b>CLOSED</b>	Rock Slides	Until Spring 2005

**Motorists are not permitted on SR-18, SR-330, and SR-38. Emergency vehicles and food supplies will be permitted on SR-38 now and later today on SR-18.**

**Heavy rains have started to melt snow, which is causing flooding and rock slides on all mountain routes.**

This information will be updated when available.

Motorists are advised to drive with caution and check road conditions before your trip. Please call the "Road Conditions Hotline" at (800) 427-7623 or Public Affairs at (909) 383-4631. You may also check road conditions on our website at [www.dot.ca.gov/dist8](http://www.dot.ca.gov/dist8).

Stay alert – stay alive and ***SLOW FOR THE CONE ZONE!***

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